effected by this Act or transferred to the State Department of Juvenile Services, are transferred to and shall be in the custody and possession of, and credited to, the State Department of Juvenile Services.

- SEC. 10. And be it further enacted, That with funds therefor provided in the Budget, the Director of the State Department of Juvenile Services shall appoint a firm of professional consultants and contract to have provided for the Department, the Governor, and the General Assembly, not later than February 1, 1967, a study and assessment of Maryland's present program and facilities for the treatment and control of juvenile delinquency, together with recommendations for the variety and number of facilities and services needed to carry out the purposes and objectives of the State Department of Juvenile Services, proper units and caseload formulae for its probation and court service personnel, the number of detention and training school beds needed for the following ten years, and other information needed to plan for and to implement the purposes and objectives of the Department.
- SEC. 10A. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, THAT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1967 ONLY, FUNDS OR POSITIONS INCLUDED IN THE APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PAROLE AND PROBATION FOR JUVENILE SERVICES AS PROVIDED IN THIS ACT MAY BE TRANSFERRED TO AND AVAILABLE FOR USE BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE SERVICES CREATED HEREIN WHEN DETERMINED TO BE NECESSARY BY THE BUDGET BUREAU AND WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.
- SEC. 11. And be it further enacted, That all laws and parts of laws inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are repealed to the extent of the inconsistency.
- SEC. 12. And be it further enacted, That if any portion of this Act is held to be unconstitutional or invalid, the unconstitutionality or invalidity do not extend to any other portion or portions of this Act, and to this end the provisions of this Act are severable.
- SEC. 13. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1966.

Approved April 14, 1966.

## CHAPTER 127

(Senate Bill 235)

AN ACT to repeal Sections 239 to 257, inclusive, of the Charter and Public Local Laws of Baltimore City (1949 Edition, being Article 4 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Baltimore City", subtitle "Juvenile Causes", Section 240 (e) thereof having been amended by Chapter 723 of the Acts of 1963, Sections 241 and 243 thereof having been amended by Chapter 290 of